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- There are about twenty Soviet seaplanes at the small Japanese-built seaplane base on the broad level area just south of the entrance to Port Arthur East Marbor, Distinguishing features of these scaplanes include: a single tapered mid-wing with projecting nacelles and twin radial engines: retractable wing tip floats; medium length faired fuselas with a large greenhouse (canopy); single tail and boat float undercarriage. These planes normally carry a crew of six.
- 2. Two small hangars, capable of housing eight scaplanes, were removed and all the planes are sheltered by a large black canvas tarpaulin. An aviation gasoline storage warehouse has been built parallel to the two coal storage sheds east of the scaplane base.

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